

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

DOCKET NO. 2020-1-E

In re: Annual Review of Base Rates)
for Fuel Costs for Duke Energy)
Progress, Incorporated)
_____)

MOTION FOR ADMISSION
PRO HAC VICE

Intervenors, Southern Alliance for Clean Energy (“SACE”) and South Carolina Coastal Conservation League (“SCCCL”), hereby move the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (“Commission”), to permit Kate Lee, Esquire to practice *Pro Hac Vice* before this Commission in the above-captioned proceeding.

Pursuant to Rule 404, of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules (“SCACR”), Ms. Lee, with the consent of counsel of record, is simultaneously filing with the South Carolina Supreme Court, a Verified application for Admission Pro Hac Vice in the State of South Carolina, (Attached here to as, Exhibit “A”).

WHEREFORE, in accordance with the provisions set forth in Rule 404, SACE and SCCCL respectfully request that the Motion be granted.

This 9th day of April, 2020,

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that the parties listed below have been served via electronic mail and/or first class mail with a copy of the *Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice* of the South Carolina Coastal Conservation League and Southern Alliance for Clean Energy.

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Exhibit A

VERIFIED APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION *PRO HAC VICE* IN THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

In re: Annual Review of Base Rates
for Fuel Costs for Duke Energy
Progress, Inc.
Plaintiff

Docket No. 2020-1-E
Case No.

Public Service Commission of
South Carolina
Tribunal

vs.

Mailing Address of Tribunal:

101 Executive Center Drive,
Suite 100
Columbia, SC 29210

Defendant

Comes now Katherine Nicole Lee, applicant herein, and respectfully represents the following:

1. Applicant resides at:

Street Address

Charleston

Charleston

SC

29414

City

County

State

Zip Code

Telephone

2. Applicant is an attorney and a member of the law firm of (or practices law under the name of) Southern Environmental Law Center, with offices at 525 East Bay Street, Suite 200

Street Address

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City

County

State

Zip Code

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Primary Telephone

Cell Phone

Fax Number

Email Address

3. Applicant has been retained personally or as a member of the above-named law firm by South Carolina Coastal Conservation League and Southern Alliance for Clean Energy to provide legal representation in connection with the above case now pending before the above-named tribunal of the State of South Carolina.

4. Since January of 2017, applicant has been, and presently is, a member in good standing of the bar of the highest court of the District of Columbia or the State of Georgia where applicant regularly practices law. Attached is a certificate of good standing dated within the last 90 days from the bar of the highest court of the District of Columbia or the State where applicant regularly practices law.

5. Applicant has been admitted to practice before the following courts: (List all of the following courts applicant has been admitted to practice before: United States District Courts; United States Circuit Courts of Appeals; the Supreme Court of the United States; and courts of other states or the District of Columbia.)

Court:	Date Admitted:
Supreme Court of Georgia	January 24, 2017
Fulton County Superior Court	October 2015
Virginia State Bar (all Virginia courts)	December 3, 2014

Applicant is presently a member in good standing of the bars of those courts listed above, except as listed below: (List any court named in the preceding paragraph that applicant is no longer admitted to practice before.)

Inactive member of Virginia State Bar

6. Applicant presently is not subject to any suspension or disbarment proceedings, and has not been formally notified of any complaints pending before a disciplinary agency, except as provided below (give particulars, e.g., jurisdiction, court date):

Not Applicable

7. Applicant never has had any application for admission *pro hac vice* in this or any other jurisdiction denied or any *pro hac vice* admission revoked, except as provided below (give particulars, e.g., date, court, docket number, judge, circumstances; attach a copy of any order of denial or revocation):

Not Applicable

8. Applicant never has had any certificate or privilege to appear and practice before any court or administrative body suspended or revoked, except as provided below (give particulars, e.g., date, court, administrative body, date of suspension and reinstatement):

Not Applicable

9. Local counsel of record associated with applicant in this case is J. Blanding Holman, IV
of the Southern Environmental Law Center law firm, which has offices at:

525 East Bay Street, Suite 200

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<u>Charleston</u>	<u>Charleston</u>	<u>SC</u>	<u>29403</u>
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South Carolina Bar Number

10. Applicant has previously filed an application to appear *pro hac vice* in the following South Carolina cases (give case name and status of litigation, date of application, local counsel of record in each case, and state whether application is pending or was granted).

SC Public Service Commission Docket No. 2020-2-E, In re: Annual Review of Base Rates for Fuel Costs for Dominion Energy South Carolina, Inc. (application filed 1/10/2020; local counsel of record J. Blanding Holman, IV; application granted.)

12. Applicant respectfully requests to be admitted to practice in the above-named tribunal for this case only.

DATED this 30th day of March, 20 20



APPLICANT

11. Applicant agrees to comply with the applicable statutes, laws and rules of the State of South Carolina and will familiarize him/herself with and comply with the South Carolina Rules of Professional Conduct. Applicant consents to the jurisdiction of the South Carolina courts and Commission on Lawyer Conduct.

VERIFICATIONSTATE OF South Carolina)COUNTY OF Charleston)

I, Katherine Lee, do hereby swear or affirm under penalty of perjury that I am the applicant in the above-styled matter; that I have read the foregoing application and know the contents thereof; and that the contents are true of my own knowledge, except as to those matters stated on information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe them to be true. I understand that I am under a continuing duty to promptly update the information provided in the application until the tribunal has ruled on the motion for admission pro hac vice. Further, if the motion is granted, I understand that I am under a continuing duty to promptly update the information provided in the application as long as I continue to appear pro hac vice in the action or proceeding. Any updated information shall be provided to both the tribunal that granted the motion and to the tribunal in which the action or proceeding may then be pending.

Katherine Lee
APPLICANT/AFFIANT

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of April, 20 20

A. Rachel Pruzin
Notary Public for the State of South Carolina
My Commission Expires: August 01, 2026

**LOCAL COUNSEL CONSENT**

I hereby consent, as local counsel of record, to the association of applicant in this cause pursuant to Rules Governing Admission *Pro Hac Vice* to the South Carolina Bar.

DATED this 1st day of April, 20 20

J.B. [Signature]
LOCAL COUNSEL OF RECORD

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have served a copy of this application upon the South Carolina Supreme Court by mail addressed to: South Carolina Supreme Court Office of Bar Admissions, PO Box 11330, Columbia, SC 29211, accompanied by payment of the \$250 filing fee payable to the South Carolina Supreme Court on this

1st day of April, 20 20

Katherine Lee
APPLICANT/AFFIANT



Supreme Court
State of Georgia
NATHAN DEAL JUDICIAL CENTER
Atlanta 30334

January 3, 2020

I hereby certify that Katherine Nicole Lee, Esq., was admitted on the 24th day of January, 2017, as a member of the bar of the Supreme Court of Georgia, the highest court of this State; and, since that date she has been and is now a member of this bar in good standing, as appears from the records and files in this office.

Witness my signature and the seal of this Court
hereto affixed the day and year first above written.



Theresa S. Bane, Clerk